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I strongly believe that Indigenous voices need to be centered in this process because they are the people who will most be impacted. It all seems backwards to allow people to make decisions that will impact the lives of others, and justice could come in the form of centering Indigenous voices. Nothing will resolve the violence inflected on Indigenous communities but there are always opportunities to do better, like now.

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It is imperative to center Indigenous voices through this process to ensure that the steps taken by L.A. County are genuinely making a difference in their lives and to avoid falling into pseudo-activism where the County takes actions that may look good from afar but don't actually do much in people's lives. Indigenous voices from the community should be the blueprint for the necessary work that needs to be done here.

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#### Jorge De Cecco

A Care First Budget is not the one introduced by the CEO's office today. A Care First approach requires divestment from the County institutions most responsible for harming and incarcerating our communities. How does a continued nearly \$5 billion allocation to the Sheriff and Probation departments demonstrate a commitment to reimagining justice and a Care First vision? As stated time and time again, Care First means community first. Care First means investing in the community-based programs that provide the most thorough and effective support. Investing in community first underlies all the ATI Report recommendations and this should be better reflected in the County budget.

How can the CEO's office, in good faith, frame their supplemental budget as founded upon a Care First, Jails Last Vision when the County will spend \$3.42 billion on the sheriff's office this year, amounting to \$337 per resident?

I strongly support the \$27.4 million for the Youth Justice Reimagined Development Fund. This is an important investment that gets us closer to the \$75 million promised. This funding for YJR is critical, so the Youth Justice Advisory Group can put their plans into action. I hope the Board and CEO will work hard to reduce bureaucratic barriers so these funds can quickly get L.A. County youth the support they need.

One way we can fully fund YJR with sustainable, ongoing funding is phasing out juvenile probation. I support the hiring freeze for Juvenile Institutions. Now we need to cut vacant positions. Juvenile probation has over 400 vacant positions, this means Probation gets around \$65 to \$78 million each year for vacant positions. I believe all vacant positions from the juvenile probation budget should be cut, and redirect these dollars into a savings account to implement YJR. The Board needs to fund and support Just Transition



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planning so we can transfer juvenile probation jobs into areas of the county where the workforce needs to grow.

Probation's Juvenile Institutions Services, which has consistently failed to provide safety for youth, will receive about \$410 million this year when there are record-low numbers of young people incarcerated. Once again, L.A. County is set to spend over \$1 million per year to incarcerate one young person. This is unacceptable! Stop funding a failed department and fund the promise of Youth Justice Reimagined.

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